

BEFORE THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF RAILROADS

STATE OF WISCONSIN

Petition of the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for the Relocation of Four Public Crossings and the Closure of Two Public Crossings of the Wisconsin Central Ltd. Tracks in the City of Marshfield, Town of Spencer, and Village of Spencer, Marathon County

9164-RX-499

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER - 26<sup>TH</sup> ROAD

On August 24, 2004, the Office of the Commissioner of Railroads (OCR) issued an order for the relocation of the public crossing of the Wisconsin Central Ltd. (WCL or railroad) tracks with 26<sup>th</sup> Road (crossing no. 689 925S / MP 285.26) in the Town of Spencer, Marathon County by October 1, 2010. The order also required the installation of automatic 12" LED flashing lights signals, gates, and constant warning time circuitry by December 31, 2006.

On April 14, 2006, the OCR issued a supplemental order at the request of the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (DOT) changing the date for the crossing relocation from 2010 to 2007 and the date for the installation of automatic flashing lights and gates moved back from 2006 to 2007.

By letter dated July 25, 2006, the DOT requested that a cantilevered signal be required for westbound traffic on 26<sup>th</sup> Road and a mast-mounted signal for eastbound traffic along with gates and constant warning time circuitry. The Commissioner concurs.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED,

1. That the **Wisconsin Central Ltd.** shall install and maintain automatic 12" LED flashing lights signals, gates, and constant warning time circuitry with appropriate appurtenances in accordance with such plans as are filed with and approved by the Office of the Commissioner of Railroads at the crossing of its tracks with **26<sup>th</sup> Road** at-grade in the Town of Spencer, Marathon County by **September 1, 2007** (Crossing No. 689 925S). The warning devices shall include a cantilevered signal for westbound traffic and a mast-mounted signal for eastbound traffic.

2. That jurisdiction is retained.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, (July 31, 2006)

By the Office of the Commissioner of Railroads.

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Rodney W. Kreunen  
Commissioner of Railroads